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UTILITY PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Box PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of David C. Greenspan, Sean Lee, James L. Meyers, John K. West and Mason Diamond for ANTI-INFLAMMATORY AND ANTIMICROBIAL USES FOR BIOACTIVE GLASS COMPOSITIONS.

Also enclosed are:

- [X] A copy of the Small Entity Declaration and Information Disclosure Statement from the parent application
- [X] An unexecuted declaration of the inventor(s) is enclosed, and an executed declaration will follow.
- [X] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 to 60/099,725 filed in United States on September 10, 1998 and a Continuation Application of 09/392,516, filed September 9, 1999--; the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference.

CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Basic Application Fee					\$ 690.00
Total Claims	49	MINUS 20 =	29	x \$18 =	522.00
Independent Claims	12	MINUS 3 =	9	x \$78 =	702.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$260.00					-0-
Total Application Fee					1,914.00
If verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee					957.00
Add Assignment Recording Fee of \$40.00 if Assignment document is enclosed					
TOTAL APPLICATION FEE DUE NOT ENCLOSED					\$957.00

Also enclosed is a copy of the Missing Part Transmittal Letter, Petition for Extension of Time and Document Retention Request filed concurrently, under separate cover, for application number 09/392,516, via Express Mail Number EL581398080US.

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